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Method of Forming Same

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The listed documents are being submitted in compliance with 37 CFR §1.97(e), within three (3) months of receipt of search reports from both the Japanese and European Patent Offices for corresponding applications.

RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT

Front pages and partial translations of the Japanese patents are enclosed. For French Patent 1.467.411, no translation is available.

Applicants respectfully request that any listed document be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

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